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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of five (5) months, extending the time for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filed Under 37 CFR 1.53(b). The Response is due on or before March 27, 2002 with this five-month extension of time.

A check for the statutory fee of \$1,960.00, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(4), is attached. Please charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 necessary to keep this application pending in the Patent and Trademark Office or credit an overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1349.

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